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SOURCE Monitored Broadcast

Belgrade, broadcasting in the Yugoslav Home Service in Serb-Croat on 8 March at 2100 GMT, transmitted the following text:

"Belgrade -- As is known, at the International Conference in Copenhagen of September 1948, a new European convention on Radio Broadcasting and a new plan on redistribution of wave lengths were adopted. As from 15 March, all medium and short wave stations in Europe will change their wave lengths. In connection with this change, as from 15 March 1950, nearly all radio stations in Yugoslavia will change their wave lengths. The new distribution of wave lengths among the European radio stations has been made with the aim of eliminating numerous disturbances which made it difficult for listening to nearly all radio stations and especially of those on medium waves. Our radio stations, too, especially in the evening, have been subject to disturbances caused by various foreign radio stations. The Federal Radio Station Belgrade will change its wave lengths from 437.3 to 439 meters so that it will remain nearly on the same place on (receiving) sets. Besides the Federal Station of Radio Belgrade, the Federal Station Belgrade I will broadcast as from 15 March on wave lengths 212.4 meters. This station will broadcast transmissions in our own and foreign languages. Of other radio stations in Yugoslavia, only the Radio Station of the Peoples Republic of Serbia, Radio Belgrade II, will retain its present wave length. Accordingly, as from 15 March 1950, our radio station will broadcast on the following wave lengths

Federal Station of Radio Belgrade	439 meters
Federal Station of Radio Belgrade I	212.4 meters
Peoples Republic of Serbia, Station Belgrade II	236.6 meters
Radio Zagreb	264.7 meters
Radio Ljubljana	327.1 meters
Radio Skoplje	370.8 meters
Radio Titograd	340.5 meters
Radio Sarajevo	490.9 meters

"Novi Sad, Pristina, Rijeka and Maribor will broadcast on the wave length of 202.1 meters; other provincial stations will broadcast also on this same wave length, some of them only during the day.

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"Radio listeners are asked to pay attention to how our various stations can be heard from 15 March. Their remarks should be addressed by letter to the Committee for Radiodiffusion of the Yugoslav Federal Government, Belgrade, Kneza Milosa 7."

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